

- III. Claims 1, 3 and 7 drawn to a device or apparatus for the detection of an analyte, and a method for the detection of toluene, classified in class 435, subclass 287.1
- IV. Claims 1, 3 and 7 drawn to a device or apparatus for the detection of an analyte, and a method for the detection of ethylbenzene, classified in class 435, subclass 287.1
- V. Claims 1, 3 and 7 drawn to a device or apparatus for the detection of an analyte, and a method for the detection of 2,4-dichlorophenoxyacetic acid, classified in class 435, subclass 287.1
- VI. Claims 1, 3 and 7 drawn to a device or apparatus for the detection of an analyte, and a method for the detection of phenol, classified in class 435, subclass 287.1
- VII. Claims 1, 3 and 7 drawn to a device or apparatus for the detection of an analyte, and a method for the detection of  $\beta$ -phenyl ethylamine, classified in class 435, subclass 287.1
- VIII. Claims 1, 3 and 7 drawn to a device or apparatus for the detection of an analyte, and a method for the detection of biphenyl, classified in class 435, subclass 287.1

In response, Group I (Claims 1-3, 5-6 and 8-27), drawn to a device or apparatus for the detection of an analyte, including the analyte mercury, and a method for the detection of mercury, classified in class 435, subclass 287.1 is hereby elected with traverse.

Withdrawal of the outstanding restriction requirement and examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

No fees are believed due with the filing of the above Reply. However, the Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in any fees due with the filing of this paper or credit any overpayment in any fees paid on the filing, or during prosecution of this application to Deposit Account No. 50-0951.

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